

LABOR SERVICES DIVISION[875]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 89A.3, the Elevator Safety Board hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 72, “Conveyances Installed On or After January 1, 1975,” Iowa Administrative Code.

This proposed change would adopt by reference relevant portions of the most recent version of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers A18.1, “Safety Standard for Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts.” Adoption of the most recent national code helps Iowa building owners by allowing them to install the most current technologies available on the national market, and helps elevator users by making the most current safety code applicable on new installations.

The purposes of this amendment are to make the rule current, protect the health and safety of the public and implement legislative intent.

If requested in accordance with Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b” by the close of business on November 5, 2013, a public hearing will be held on November 6, 2013, at 9 a.m. in the Capitol View Room at 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa. Interested persons will be given the opportunity to make oral statements and file documents concerning the proposed amendment. The facility for the oral presentations is accessible to and functional for persons with physical disabilities. Persons who have special requirements should call (515)281-5915 in advance to arrange access or other needed services.

Written data, views, or arguments to be considered in adoption shall be submitted by interested persons no later than November 6, 2013, to Division of Labor Services, 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0209. Comments may be sent electronically to kathleen.uehling@iwd.iowa.gov.

No variance procedures are included in this rule. Applicable variance procedures are set forth in 875—Chapter 66.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs will occur.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 89A.

The following amendment is proposed.

Adopt the following **new** subrule 72.1(9):

72.1(9) For installations on or after January 31, 2014:

- a. ASME A17.1 shall mean ASME A17.1-2010/CSA B44-10, except for Rule 2.27.1.1.6;
- b. ASME A17.7 shall mean ASME A17.7-2007/CSA B44-10;
- c. ASME A18.1 shall mean ASME A18.1 (2011), except Chapters 4, 5, 6, and 7;
- d. ANSI A117.1 shall mean ANSI A117.1 (2003), except for Rule 407.4.6.2.2; and
- e. ANSI/NFPA 70 shall mean ANSI/NFPA 70 (2008).